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FM AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 741

AMEMBASSY BLANTYRE PRIORITY

AMCONSUL CAIN TOWN PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY GABORONE PRIORITY

AMEMBASSY KINSHASA PRIORITY

AMCONSUL LOURENCO MARQUES PRIORITY

AMCONSUL LUANDA PRIORITY

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FOR AMBASSADORS, CONSULS GENERAL AND AF OFFICE
DIRECTORS

CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

EO 11652 N/A

TAGS: OVIP (EASUM)

QIBJECT: VISIT TO SOUTHERN AFRICA

REF: STATE 212277

1. EMBASSY LUSAKA PRIVILEGED TO BE SITE FOR REGIONAL MEETING
BETWEEN ASSISTANT SECRETARY EASUM AND OFFICIALS MOST
IMMEDIATELY CONCERNED WITH US POLICIES
SOUTHERN AFRICA.

AMBASSADORS, OFFICE DIRECTORS AND CONGENS MOG
WELCOME. WE WILL DO ALLHKOSSIBLE WITHIN LIMITS OF
SMALL STAFF TO MAKE YOUR MEETING WITH ASSISTANT
SECRETARY AND VISIT TO ZAMBIA RECASTING, USEFUL AND ENJOY-
ABLE.

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2. AS START ON ADMINISTRATIVE ARRANGEMENTS WILL

REQUIRE

SOONEST EXACT ETA'S AND ETD'S ON ALL TRAVEL.
PREFERABLE YOU OBTAIN ZAMBIAN VISAS IN ADVANCE. IF
UNABLE DO SO, PLEASE FURNISH US WITH PASSPORT DATA
SO AIRPORT VISAS CAN BE ARRANGED.

3. AMBASSADOR WOULD LOVE TO BE HOSTESS WITH MOSTEST
AND TO RECIPROCATATE GENEROUS HOSPITALITY OF MANY COMING
TO LUSAKA MEETING, BUT ON BASIS PRIOR ADMINISTRATIVE
ARRANGEMENT
I WORKED OUT IN WASHINGTON, ONLY ASSISTANT
SECRETARY EASUM AND POSSIBLY ONE ADMINISTRATIVE
ASSISTANT CAN BE ACCOMMODATED AT RESIDENCE.

4. HAVE RESERVED DOUBLE ROOMS AT INTERCONTINENTAL FOR ALL
OTHERS. RATES (INCLUDING DIPLOMATIC DISCOUNT) APPROXIMATELY

18 DOLLARS SINGLE OCCUPANCY, 24 DOLLARS DOUBLE. QNWISE
WHETHER DOUBLE OR SINGLE OCCUPANCY DESIRED. WIVES WILL
BE MOST WELCOME BUT WISH POINT OUT THAT SIGHTSEEING AND
SHOPPING OPPORTUNITIES IN AND ABOUT LUSAKA ARE VERY
LIMITED. HOWEVER, IN-COUNTRY TRAVEL POSSIBILITIES
AFFORDED BEFORE OR
AFTER MEETING TO VICTORIA FALLS OR
NEARBY GAME PARKS OF BLUE LAGOON OR LOCHINVAR.
LUSAKA EMBASSY WIVES COMMITTEE ORGANIZED TO HELP
OUT.

5. PROPOSE DRAFT SCHEDULE AS FOLLOWS WITH REQUEST
DEPARTMENT FILL IN DISCUSSION TOPICS AND LEADERS:

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5

MORNING AND AFTERNOON -- ARRIVAL OF VISITORS

EVENING -- INFORMAL WELCOME AND GET TOGETHER AT RESIDENCE.
COME-AS-YOU-ARE PARTY WITH DRINKS AND BARBECUE. NO OTHER
GUESTS.

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WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6

BREAKFAST -- HOTEL

0900 - 1045 -- HKIRST SESSION, CHANCERY

1045 - 1100 -- COF33 ?43-(

1100 - 1-0 -- SECOND SESSION

1300 - 1430 -- COLD BUFFET LUNCH PUT UP BY EMBASSY
EMPLOYEES ASSOCIATION AT PRIVATE HOME AT 5 DOLLARS PER PERSON
(ADVANTAGES: CHEAPER AND BETTER THAN HOTEL AND PRIVACY
AFFORDED).

1500 - 1700 -- THIRD SESSION

1930 -- AMBASSADOR'S RECZPLUON AT RESIDENCE FOR EASUM, PARTICIPANTS
AND WIVES, FOREIGN OFFICE AND OTHER GRZ OFFICIALS,
LIMITED NUMBER LOCAL DIPLOMATS, AND EMBASSY STAFF.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7

0800 -- BREAKFAST AT HOTEL

0900 - 1045 -- FOURTH SESSION

1045 - 1100 -- COFFEE BREAK

1100 - 1230 -- FIFTH SESSION

1300 -- WORKING LUNCH AT RESIDENCE: SUMMATION AND
FAREWELLS.

REMAINDER OF AFTERNOON -- DEPARTURES

6. WISH SOLICIT EASUM'S PREFERENCES RE HAVING:
A) RAPORTEURS (FROM EMBASSY STAFF OR CONFERENCE
PARTICIPANTS) TO KEEP DETAILED NOTES; B) SOMEONE TO WRITE
UP SENSE OF INDIVIDUAL SESSIONS; OR C) NO FORMAL RECORDS
AT ALL.

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7. FOREGOING SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO SOME CHANGE AFTER
AMBASSADOR HAS TALKED WITH FONMIN MWAANGA ON HIS
RETURN OCT 4. HE IS PERSONALLY INTERESTED IN OUR MEETING
AND HAS HINTED GRZ MAY WISH TO EXTEND SOME LIMITED
FORM OF HOSPITALITY, POSSIBLY AT STATE HOUSE.

8. IN EVENT VISITORS INTERESTED IN SEEING VICTORIA FALLS,
WOULD HAVE TO ARRIVE HERE AT LEAST ONE DAY EARLY OR
STAY ADDITIONAL DAY AND A HALF OR TWO IN ORDER TO MAKE TRIP
BY COMMERCIAL AIR. SCHEDULED FLIGHTS TO LIVINGSTONE
LEAVE LUSAKA AT 0930 MONDAY, WEDNESDAY, FRIDAY,
SATURDAY AND SUNDAY. RETURN TRIP TICKETS COST ABOUT
60 DOLLARS.

9. IF ENOUGH PERSONS ARE INTERESTED WE COULD ARRANGE A
ROUND TRIP CHARTER FLIGHT TO LIVINGSTONE FOR A MAXIMUM
OF FIVE PERSONS
AT A TOTAL COST OF 600 DOLLARS. PLEASE
ADVISE IF YOU WISH RESERVATIONS MADE FOR ANY OF ABOVE
FLIGHTS.

10. SUBSTANTIVE COMMENTS
ON PROPOSED AGENDA
FOLLOW IN SEPTELS.
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